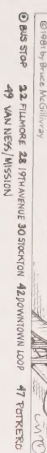


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FORT MASON CENTER

Night Train To Bolina
at Magic Theatre—
see December 1
Photo: David Allen

HOLIDAYS AT FORT MASON CENTER

Special things always happen at Fort Mason Center during the holidays. It is one of those rare times of the year when the whole multifarious place seems to mobilize around a single theme: celebrating the season!

Everywhere you turn there are special sales, exhibits, parties, performances, concerts, processions, gift shows, bazaars, church services, fairs, festivals, and ceremonies. Fort Mason Center's galleries, theaters and resident organizations, as well as the many diverse users of our classroom space, are holding special events—and YOU are invited!

On this page we've listed a few of the highlights—look through the whole Calendar, then use your imagination!

Holiday Shopping At The Museums A huge selection of traditional and unusual items for holiday gifts are available all month from the museum shops at Fort Mason. A variety of holiday bargains and special sales are being offered for the season. See Galleries page.

Black Crafts Bazaar '94 The 2nd annual sale of original art works and handmade crafts from outstanding Bay Area artists takes place at the San Francisco African American Historical and Cultural Society. The Bazaar takes place on the first two weekends in December. The Society's gallery and gift shop are open Tuesdays through Sundays through December 24. See Galleries listing for details.

Holiday Gift Shop Handmade contemporary crafts, American folk art, and ethnic crafts from around the world are featured at the San Francisco Craft & Folk Art Museum. This includes baskets, jewelry, toys, textiles, postcards, small boxes and elegant notepaper, as well as many beautifully illustrated art books focusing on craft, folk and ethnic arts. The current exhibits at the Museum, "Contemporary Cast Glass" and "Russian Lacquer Artists Pavel & Natasha Tikhomirov," have several fabulous pieces for sale as well. The Museum and gift shop are open daily through December 24. See Galleries listing for details.

Santos, Masks & Ornaments La Tienda, the gift store at The Mexican Museum, features hand-carved and painted santos (wooden patron saints)

from Mexico and Guatemala, colorful wooden animals and black clay pottery from Oaxaca, and traditional wooden masks from Guerrero and Michoacán. Jewelry and tin ornaments for the Christmas tree from all over Latin America are available, as well as frames for photographs, colorful nativities, and trees of life. La Tienda is open through December 24. The Museum's exhibit, "Art Of The Santera," featuring traditional and contemporary imagery of holy personages by New Mexican women, opens December 9. See Galleries listing for details.

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale An assortment of trees, ornaments, decorations and refreshments are featured at this annual Christmas tree sale that helps send underprivileged Bay Area children to summer camp. Sponsored by The Guardsmen. See December 1.

2nd Annual Huichol Indian Arts & Crafts Festival & Ceremony Jewelry, artwork, clothing, baked goods and more are available for purchase to benefit the tribe's Ancient Springs Retreat Center near Sedona, Arizona. Huichol shamans Jaichima and Vicente Rútury perform a smoke ceremony as a blessing for the sacred self. Bring your drums and kaichas and join the ceremony. See December 2 for details.

Celebration Of Craftswomen The SF Women's Building's 16th annual show and sale features a huge, culturally diverse selection of artistry by 280 of the finest artists and craftswomen in the country. This juried event also includes crafts demonstrations, entertainment, food and a special exhibit of new and emerging artists. Free parking and childcare are available. See December 3 for details.

Psychic Fair A psychic Santa reveals his holiday hints and predictions for you at this special fair for adults and children of all ages. Learn to use your sixth sense to gain insights. Find out about aura vision, psychometry, intuition and more. See December 3.



Almost by Ellen Soloway at the Fort Mason Artists Annual Holiday Show

Snow Queen Gerda tries to rescue her friend Kay from a spell cast upon him by the villainous Queen of Snow. The intrepid young heroine encounters reindeer, ravens, princesses, robbers and polar bears along the way. This is a special Christmas production of Young Performers Theatre. See December 3 for details.

Bay Area Theatresports (BATS) This improvisational comedy troupe presents their 4th annual Holiday Musical, a full-length improvised musical show based on titles suggested by the audience. Directed by Barbara Scott with music by J. Raoul Brody. See December 5.



Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale



Photo: David Allen

FORT MASON CENTER IS...
...a celebration of the lively arts.

See Holidays at Fort Mason Center—Jump Cuts

NEW & EMERGING ARTISTS

In keeping with its goals of promoting visibility and economic empowerment for women, the 16th Annual Celebration of Craftswomen honors "New and Emerging Artists" with a special showcase featuring beginning women artists.

In addition to showing their work in a special display area at the fair, the newcomers are also introduced to prominent veteran craftswomen who act as mentors to guide them toward success in merchandising their crafts.

The largest juried women's crafts fair in the United States, the event showcases nearly 300 of the nation's most talented craftswomen, claiming the distinction of being "the most spectacular and culturally diverse selection of quality fine arts and crafts the Celebration of Craftswomen has ever offered." With continuous live entertainment and international food and beverages, the fair provides holiday fun for the whole family.

This year, the Celebration features 130 completely different artists each weekend. A special two-weekend ticket is offered to encourage patrons to enjoy the entire event. As always, free parking and childcare are available both weekends.

A distinguished nine-member jury selected this year's participating artists. From homespun to elegant, there are unique and affordable handcrafted gifts for every taste and budget: candles, ornaments, and glassware; functional and decorative ceramics, glass, sculpted wood and metals; an array of jewelry in everything from recycled art to

precious stones and polymer clay; clothing, weaving and art-to-wear of every kind; dolls, puzzles, stamps, children's toys, handcarved and hand-painted furniture.

The Cultural Rainbow Cabaret showcases the best in female musicians and entertainers. This year, there are solo performances each day by members of the San Francisco Women's Philharmonic, and an appearance by the Victorian Duo.

Each day's entertainment opens with a performance for children, including a visit by the acclaimed San Francisco Girls Chorus. Several of the most popular performers from last year return as well, including Miya Masaoka, Rashida Oji, Spin the Cat, Jacqueline Rago & Erika Luckett, and Mirage.

Shoppers can find international and California cuisine at the Cafe, with gourmet treats and a wide variety of international coffees and other beverages.

The fair is presented annually by the San Francisco Women's Building, the first women-owned and operated nonprofit women's community center in the country. In its 26-year history, the Women's Building has helped launch more than 125 projects, including the first battered women's shelter on the West Coast, the first residential women's alcoholism treatment program in the country, and the award-winning San Francisco Women's Philharmonic, the only organization of its kind in the United States.

First Wednesday At Fort Mason On the first Wednesday of each month, the museums, galleries and the Book Bay Bookstore stay open late and offer free admission. Special holiday shopping discounts are offered in the museum shops. See December 7 for details.

Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus Holiday Show Razz the clown and his pint-sized buddy Pino perform a special holiday show created by choreographer Tandy Beal and Lu Yi, acrobatics master from the Nanjing Acrobatics Troupe. See article for details.

Festa dei Dolci Italiani This lovely evening features an array of spectacular Italian desserts and Christmas sweets, coffee and dessert wines. Italian songs are performed by the Golden Gate Boys Chorus. A Christmas tradition of the Museo ItaloAmericano, the evening includes a silent auction of Italian Christmas ornaments. See December 9 for details.

Fort Mason Artists Annual Holiday Show The 20th annual holiday exhibit and sale by students at Fort Mason Art Campus of City College of San Francisco. Includes painting, sculpture, mosaics, printmaking, photography, collage, mixed media, jewelry, ceramics, fabric arts, quilting and more. Take this opportunity to learn about art classes, view students' work and buy your favorites. See December 10 for details.

Rubber Stamp Sale This 2nd annual sale features a festive show of art stamps. Learn how to create your own stamps, holiday cards, wrapping paper, mail art and more. See December 11 for more information.

Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale An all-new hand-picked selection of high-quality silver jewelry from Taxco is featured at this special holiday sale, brought to you by Hi-Ho Silver. Unique designs are available at very reasonable prices. For details, see December 12.

Animal People Party This annual Christmas party for animal people sponsored by the Fund For Animals features booths, refreshments, and entertainment. See December 17 for more information.

Super Comic/Toy Expo Comic books and toys are for sale along with entertainment, door prizes, an amateur drawing contest, a trivia competition, and sale of rare Power Ranger toys and autographed items. Fun for the whole family. See December 18 for details.

Posada Procession Celebrate the holidays at this traditional Mexican reenactment of Mary and Joseph's journey to Bethlehem. The day includes a cultural presentation for families, the festive and colorful Posada procession, a piñata breaking for children, and a reception party for the "The Art of the Santera," the new exhibit at The Mexican Museum. Includes music by Coro Hispano de San Francisco, refreshments and a special sale at La Tienda gift shop. For more information, see December 18.



Lawan Angelique Sculpted cloth dolls

The Celebration of Craftswomen takes place in the Herbst Pavilion on December 3, 4, 10 and 11, Saturday and Sunday from 10am to 6pm. Tickets are \$5 for adults, \$4 for seniors. Children under 12 are admitted free. The special two-weekend ticket is \$8. Group discounts are available. For information, call the Celebration of Craftswomen hotline, 361-0700.

NIGHT TRAIN TO BOLINA

Magic Theatre, the West Coast's only major theater dedicated to presenting new works, continues its 28th season with the world premiere of *Night Train To Bolina*.

Featuring the first Magic Theatre appearances of two extremely promising theater artists, director Mary Coleman and Cuban-born playwright Nilo Cruz, the play was originally developed at the Bay Area Playwrights Festival in 1993 with the support of Magic's artistic director Mame Hunt. *Night Train To Bolina* received a prestigious W. Alton Jones Foundation grant for the development and production of a new American play.

Playwright Cruz makes his Magic debut with a painfully beautiful tale of childhood innocence in the land of death. *Bolina* follows Clara and Mateo, best friends who live a life threatened by starvation and abuse, choosing the village cemetery for their playground.

Dreaming of a better life than they have known in their rural village, the two flee to the fictitious Latin American city of Bolina—the place "to which loose kites fly," according to legend. Together they withstand hard life on the streets, ultimately being rescued by devout missionaries who intend kindness, but unwittingly inflict cruelty by separating the pair.

Cruz, whose work has been cultivated by Hunt, is a new voice on the theater scene. Hunt worked with Cruz and director Coleman to bring this play to the 1993 San Francisco Playwrights Festival.

"We are convinced that Nilo's is a singular and powerful voice and that *Bolina* is but one piece of what will become a very significant body of work in the American theater," says Hunt. "*Bolina* embodies the social and political complexities we seek to explore, such as family and wholeness, class and racism, fear and love."

As part of that exploration, the play will serve as the inaugural production for the Magic Learning Project, a new educational outreach program involving five high schools in San Francisco.

Starring are Greta Sanchez and Sean San Jose Blackman as Clara and Mateo. Sanchez appeared at Magic Theatre's *Once Removed* in 1990, and at ACT Studio and Intersection for the Arts. Blackman was seen in last year's Magic productions of *Giants Have Us In Their Books*, *Why Things Burn*, and *The End Of The Day*.

Dramatically sparse sets have been created by Jeff Rowlings, with lighting and evocative projections by lighting designer Jose Lopez and costumes by Derek Sullivan. A highly theatrical soundscape was created by Magic resident sound designer J. A. Deane.

Night Train To Bolina opened November 15, and runs through December 18. Performances are Wednesday through Saturday 8:30pm, Sunday 2 and 7:30pm. Tickets are \$14 to \$23.

Magic Theatre's Pay What You Can program continues. Each production in the 1994-95 season will include one Wednesday night performance when theatergoers pay only what they are able to afford.

Fifty Pay What You Can tickets are made available on the designated performance night, at the door only, on a first-come-first-served basis. The designated night for *Bolina* is December 7. For tickets or information, call the Magic Theatre box office, 441-8822.



Night Train To Bolina
Photo: David Allen

JUMP CUTS

A hapless clown and his provocative pintized partner tumble into and through the movies, when a mix-up finds them trapped in a film studio after hours. Razz (Jeff Raz) and Pino (Diane Wasnak) embark on an innocent tour of a motion picture studio, only to find themselves locked inside, free to roam—and wreak havoc—among the reels.

As the carefully stored films sprout legs and come to life, Pino and Razz join a blizzard of hilarious acrobats who leap, tumble, teeter-totter and dive through every imaginable film genre, from Westerns to gumshoe detective stories to Technicolor musicals and costume dramas. Members of the audience become film stars in this absurd tale.

San Francisco's beloved New Pickle Circus returns to the Cowell Theater for its annual holiday show. "Jump Cuts" is directed by acclaimed dancer-choreographer Tandy Beal. The troupe, which combines American and Russian circus disciplines with Chinese acrobatics, dance and original music performed live by an on-stage jazz band, has been developing breathtaking new tricks all year.

Working with the award-winning Beal is Chinese acrobatics master Lu Yi, formerly trainer of the Nanjing Acrobatics Troupe. He has taught the Pickles daredevil stunts passed on from the repertory of generations-old Chinese companies.

The Pickle Family Circus, progenitor of The New Pickle Circus, was founded in 1974 by a group of performers drawn primarily from the San Francisco Mime Troupe. It became the nation's first one-ring, intimate show on the order of European circuses. The founders shared a vision of creating a popular theater form combining music, drama, dance, and humor with traditional circus acts.

For almost twenty years, the Pickle Family Circus continued to develop this new form, launching the careers of such comic talents as Larry Pisoni, Bill Irwin and Geoff Hoyle. The troupe paved the way for a renewed interest in circus theaters, as dem-

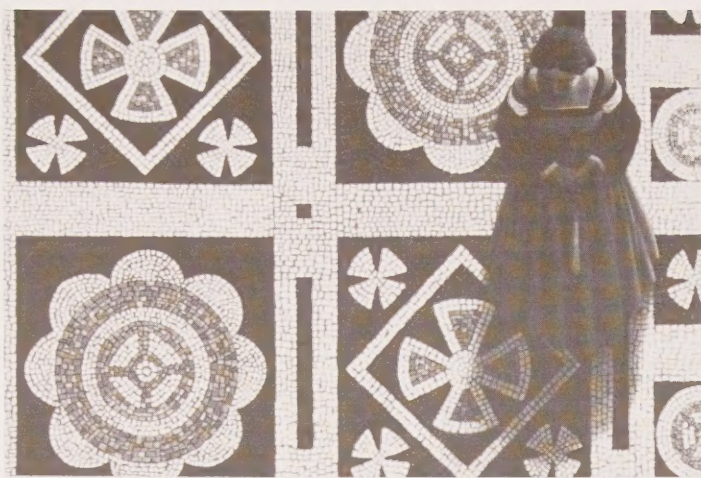


Jump Cuts
Photo: David Allen

onstrated by the success of such institutions as New York's Big Apple Circus and Cirque du Soleil.

The New Pickle Circus was formed by members of the original troupe, who rallied friends and supporters to purchase the assets of the original organization when it filed for bankruptcy in 1993.

MUSEO ITALOAMERICANO



St. Peter's, Rome
by Stanley W. Galli

The Museo ItaloAmericano presents "Stanley W. Galli: The Art of an Illustrator," a survey of the creative output of this artist.

In the last half-century, Galli built a remarkable reputation as an important illustrator. Inducted into the Hall of Fame of the Museum of American Illustration in New York in 1981, he has become renowned as a painter of American wildlife. Galli was commissioned by the United States Postal Service to create designs, mainly of flora and fauna, for 26 postage stamps.

Galli's illustrations have also appeared in the pages and on the covers of many magazines and books, and in advertising campaigns for many of the largest corporations in the country.

As a counterpoint to his career as an illustrator, Galli also developed as a fine artist. His "Vision in Italy" series combines representations of the mosaic pavements of famous Italian churches and palaces with depictions of people who might have walked on those floors

The exhibition at the Museo opens on Friday, December 9, and continues through Sunday, January 29, 1995. A reception to honor the artist takes place on Wednesday, January 5, from 5:30 to 7pm.

The gallery is open Wednesday through Sunday from noon to 5pm. The Museo ItaloAmericano is located on the ground floor of Landmark Building C. For information, call 673-2200.

LILIAS & YOGA



Liliás Folan
Photo: Neal Barr

Liliás Folan is host of one of the longest-running shows on television. Her yoga class originated on PBS in 1970 as *Liliás, Yoga and You!* and is still shown around the country as, simply, *Liliás!* On her show, Liliás not only teaches practical ways to weave yoga into one's daily life, but also shares her personal spiritual journey.

Liliás Folan's unique and compassionate teaching style guides her pupils in learning fresh ways to move and breathe, with special focus on the art of deep relaxation. Dedicated to making yoga more accessible to the public, she has also produced several books, audio tapes, and two very popular yoga videos called *Energize With Yoga* and *Forever Flexible*.

Liliás makes her only Bay Area appearances of 1994 at Fort Mason on Saturday, December 3. The two classes are open to students and teachers of all ages, backgrounds and levels of experience. Just wear comfortable clothes and bare feet, and please refrain from using strong scents or aftershave as a courtesy to those who may be allergic.

Classes take place from 10am to 12:15pm and 2pm to 4:15pm. Cost is \$35 for one class or \$60 for both. Pre-registration is required. For information, call 324-1086 or 368-7813.

GALLERIES



Bayfront Gallery "Art of the Russian Far East." Vladivostok's Triada Gallery presents 150 paintings, graphics & sculpture by 30 artists reflecting the unique ethnic culture & character of the Russian Far East. 7/5-12/31 open before, during & after Cowell Theater performances & Noon-6pm Tue-Sun FREE Herbst Pavilion 381-4036

Coffee Gallery Works by students & instructors at the CCSF Fort Mason Art Campus. Daily 8am-11pm (closed 12/24&25) FREE adm Bldg B 561-1840

Cowell Theater Lobby Foliage, fabric & landscape paintings by Pedro Surroca. 11/2-1/29/95 open before, during & after performances at the Cowell Theater, Herbst Pavilion FREE (510) 284-3537

Mexican Museum Wed-Sun Noon-5pm \$3-\$2 (closed 12/25). Bldg D 441-0404
The Art Of The Santera Contemporary & traditional images of holy personages created by New Mexican women. Includes *retablos* (painted images on gessoed board), *colchas* (embroidery), *bultos* (three-dimensional wood carvings) & other media. 12/9-1/29/95
Posada Procession A day of festivities celebrating the traditional Mexican reenactment of Mary & Joseph's journey to Bethlehem. 12/18 Sun

12/9-1/29/95



Four Bar Blues by Deborah Iyall
SF Museum Of Modern Art Rental Gallery

SAINT MAKERS

"Contemporary Hispanic New Mexican artists are really not 'folk artists' in the usual sense of the term," says Marianne L. Stoller in the Museum of New Mexico's *El Palacio Magazine*. "Rather, they are sophisticated artists using the traditional folk arts from their culture's heritage as sources of inspiration."

"The Art of the Santera" is an exhibition acknowledging New Mexican women as *santeras* (saint makers), a field usually dominated by men. Only recently has the creation of religious works by women been recognized in the Latino community.



San Antonio Milagroso
by Zoraida Ortega & Eulogio Ortega

Noon-6pm FREE: Noon-12:45pm Posada discussion for families; 1-2pm procession; 2-3pm Piñata breaking for children; 2-5:30pm reception party for "Art of the Santera" exhibit w/music by Coro Hispano de San Francisco. See 12/18
Santos, Masks & Ornaments La Tienda, the gift store at The Mexican Museum, features hand-carved & painted *santos* (wooden patron saints), colorful masks, tin ornaments & a wide selection of Mexican folk art & gifts including wooden animals, jewelry, ceramics, nativities, tin crafts & toys. 11/25-12/24 Daily Noon-5:30pm

Museo ItaloAmericano Wed-Sun Noon-5pm \$2-\$1 (12/7 1st Wed/mo Noon-8pm FREE adm, closed 12/25) Bldg C 673-2200

Pinocchio & The Art Of Puppet Theater The first international exhibit of the Teatro Minimo Italiano features antique puppets & marionettes from Lombardy, Naples & Sicily. Costumes, props & puppet theater scenery round out the exhibition. 11/22-12/4

Stanley W. Galli: The Art Of An Illustrator Widely noted as a wildlife illustrator for magazines, book covers & US postage stamps, Galli also has an admirable portfolio of fine arts painting. This exhibition reviews his creative output in both genres. 12/9-1/29/95

Festa Dei Dolci Italiani A lovely evening of Italian desserts & traditional Christmas sweets, coffee & dessert wines. Music by Golden Gate Boys' Chorus. 12/9 Fri 7-9pm \$20 see 12/9

SF African American Historical & Cultural Society Exhibits & gift shop featuring African &

African American arts, crafts & historical artifacts. Wed-Sun Noon-5pm \$2, children 50¢, (12/7 1st Wed/mo Noon-8pm FREE adm, closed 12/25). Bldg C 441-0640
Black Crafts Bazaar '94 Sale of original art works & handmade crafts from outstanding Bay Area artists. 12/3-11 Sat&Sun 10am-6pm

SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Tue-Fri&Sun 11am-5pm, Sat 10am-5pm. \$1 adm (Sat 10am-Noon & 12/7 1st Wed/mo Noon-8pm FREE adm, closed 12/25). Bldg A 775-0990

Contemporary Cast Glass Works by Hank Murta Adams, Robert Belucci, Robin Grebe, Vincent Leon Olmsted, Jeremy Popelka, Clifford Rainey, David Ruth, Chris Tedesco & James Watkins. 10/29-12/31
Russian Lacquer Artists Pavel & Natasha Tikhomirov Finely lacquered & embellished paintings, small chests, boxes & icons in the classical Russian style. 10/29-12/31

SF Museum Of Modern Art Rental Gallery Tue-Sat 11:30am-5:30pm. (12/7 1st Wed/mo Noon-8pm, closed 12/25). FREE adm Bldg A 441-4777
Itami, Tait & Others Michi Itami's computer-generated lithographs, Will Tait's digital images & eight book artists. 11/2-12/2

Miniature Show: Diminutive Art by Thirteen Artists Works by Kathy Clark, Betty Jo Costanza, Susan Dopp, Carol Doyle, Suzanne Dycus, Wendy Goldberg, Susan Green, Debora Iyall, S.R. Jones, Maurice Lapp, Michael Pauker, Christine Peirano, Gail Pine. 12/7-2. Reception 12/7 Wed 5:30-7:30pm FREE adm

DECEMBER AT A GLANCE

Events

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
StarCast Oracle Kick-Off Party see 12/2
Huichol Indian Arts & Crafts Festival & Ceremony see 12/3
WestCoast Live see 12/3
The Joy Is In The Journey: A Day Of Hatha Yoga & More see 12/3
Celebration Of Craftswomen see 12/3
Psychic Fair see 12/3
Russian Lacquer Demonstration see 12/3
A Gathering Of Cyclists see 12/3
First Wednesday At Fort Mason see 12/7
Festa dei Dolci Italiani see 12/9
Fort Mason Artists Holiday Show see 12/10
Pasko Sa Tambayan see 12/10
SF Camera Swap Meet see 12/11
Psychic Healing Fair see 12/17
Animal People Party see 12/17
Super Comic/Toy Expo see 12/18
Posada Procession see 12/18
Youth Leadership New Years Eve Dance see 12/31

Theater

Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
More Real Voices/People In The Park see 12/3
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

Holiday Shopping

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale see 12/2
Celebration Of Craftswomen see 12/3
Black Crafts Bazaar '94 see 12/3
Fort Mason Artists Holiday Show see 12/10
SF Camera Swap Meet see 12/11
Rubber Stamp Sale see 12/11
Studio Sale see 12/17

Music/Dance

Reem Kilani see 12/3
Bay Area Theatresports (BATS) see 12/5

Children/Family Activities

Snow Queen see 12/3
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

Lectures

Thursday Night Tarot see 12/1
Open Channel & Trance see 12/1
Transforming Depression: A Jungian Approach see 12/2
Metaphysics Lecture see 12/2
Cosmology & Philosophy Lecture see 12/5
Great Bay Area Writers Series see 12/5
Unique Pathways To Recovery see 12/6
Bay Area Resource Forum see 12/7
SF Tesla Society see 12/11
Wilhelm Reich Lecture see 12/11
SF Vegetarian Society Lecture 12/11
Peace Corps Public Forum see 12/14

Meetings

Church By the Bay see 12/4
Alcoholics Anonymous see 12/4
Adoption Awareness see 12/6
Adult Children Of Alcoholics see 12/7
PC Tech User Group 12/12
Star Trek Fan Club see 12/17

Tours

Fort Mason Tour see 12/10

Receptions

SF Museum Of Modern Art Rental Gallery "Miniature Show: Diminutive Art by Thirteen Artists" 12/7 Wed 5:30-7:30pm see Galleries



Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1

1 THURSDAY

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale Annual Christmas tree sale helps send underprivileged Bay Area children to summer camp. An assortment of trees, ornaments, decorations & refreshments. Sponsored by The Guardsmen. 11/25-12/21 daily 9am-9pm Festival Pavilion 781-6785

Gentle Power Aerobics Challenging low-impact aerobic & toning class for people over 40. 12/1-30 Mon-Fri 9:30-10:30am \$5-\$3.50/class Bldg C 389-8249

Book Bay Bookstore Bargain books. 12/1-31 Wed, Fri-Sun 11am-5pm, Thur 11am-8pm (1st Wed 11am-8pm, closed 12/24&25) FREE adm Friends of the SF Public Library Bldg C 771-1076

Holiday Gift Shop Handmade contemporary crafts, American folk art & ethnic crafts from around the world. Includes baskets, jewelry, toys, textiles, postcards, small boxes & elegant note-paper, as well as many beautifully illustrated art books focusing on craft, folk & ethnic arts. 11/25-12/23 Sun&Mon 11am-5pm, Tue-Fri 11am-6pm, Sat 10am-6pm, 12/24 Sat 10am-5pm SF Craft & Folk Art Museum Bldg A 775-0990

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Liebovian Hypnosis For Smokers Help yourself kick the habit in one session w/Richard Liebow. Includes weight & stress management techniques. 6:30-9:30pm \$39 Bldg C 928-2851

Thursday Night Tarot Discussions on two philosophies of ageless wisdom, Cabala & Tarot. 12/1-22 Thur 8-10pm FREE Bldg C 454-6109

Open Channel & Trance Betty Bethards, mystic, healer & author of *The Dream Book*, shares her wisdom on dreams, meditation & visualization; then opens the evening to questions on which you may need clarity. 8pm \$10-\$7 Bldg A (707) 765-2200

Night Train To Bolina Two children threatened by starvation & abuse flee from their village to the city. Rescued from the street by devout missionaries, they nevertheless suffer the pain of forced separation. Playwright Nilo Cruz, NEA Artist in Residence, has written this play about the innocence of children in a land of death. 11/16-12/18 Wed-Sat 8:30pm, Sun 2&7:30pm \$23-\$14, some pay-what-you-can tickets available for 12/7 performance. FMC "Friends" \$2 off w/mbrs card Magic Theatre 441-8822

2 FRIDAY

Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale All new handpicked selection of high-quality silver jewelry from Taxco. Unique designs & a new inventory at very reasonable prices brought to you by Hi-Ho Silver. Grand opening 12/2 Fri 11am-9pm, open 12/3-11 Fri-Sun 10am-4:30pm FREE Bldg A 362-7947

Transforming Depression: A Jungian Approach Jungian analyst & psychiatrist David Rosen discusses the egocide & transformation model for treatment of depression. Sponsored by C.G. Jung Institute. 12/2&3 Fri 7:30pm, Sat 10am-4pm \$105-\$95 Firehouse 771-8080

• Friends of the Fort Discount

More Real Voices/The People In The Park A touching, often comic look at Berkeley's People's Park based on interviews by Tanya Schaffer. Presented by Tale Spinners. 12/3&4, Sat 8pm, Sun 3pm \$10-\$6 FMC "Friends" \$6 w/mbrs card Blue Bear Performance Hall Bldg D 431-2221

A Gathering Of Cyclists Potluck banquet with featured speakers: bicycle racers Caryn Finlay-Mount, George Mount & Mike Neel; USCF coach Michael Heitz; Waterford Precision Cycles owner Richard Schwinn; & research scientists Tom Vaughan & Glen Winkel. Sponsored by Bicycle Odyssey. 7-11pm \$10 Bldg A 332-3050

Reem Kilani The legendary Palestinian singer makes her SF debut. Sponsored by the Palestine Arab Fund. 7:30pm \$20 FMC "Friends" \$1 off w/mbrs card Cowell Theater 492-5330

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Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale see 12/2
Transforming Depression: A Jungian Approach see 12/2

4 SUNDAY

Church By The Bay Regular services of this non-denominational church. 12/4-25 Sun 10am-Noon FREE Bldg C 665-2797

Alcoholics Anonymous Weekly waterfront meeting w/open discussion & speakers. Coffee & cookies served. 12/4-25 Sun 8-9:15pm FREE Bldg C 661-1828

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Psychic Fair see 12/3
Snow Queen see 12/3
More Real Voices/People In The Park see 12/3



Celebration of Craftswomen Buttons by Sarah Nelson Shriver see 12/3
Photo: George Post

5 MONDAY

Method Acting Workshops Shelley Mitchell teaches you to improve your public speaking & overcome stage fright using the Lee Strasberg/Actors Studio technique. 12/5&12 Mon, 12/20&27 Tue 6:30-9:30pm \$321-\$249 Bldg C 389-6429

Cosmology & Philosophy Lecture Philosopher & author Sarah Simmons talks about cosmology & philosophy made simple. Learn about the laws of universal energy. 12/5-19 Mon 7-9:15pm \$10 Bldg C (510) 935-9191

Great Bay Area Writers Series An evening with sinologist & Bolinas rancher Orville Schell, author of *Discos And Democracy: China In The Throes Of Reform*. Schell is interviewed by novelist Martin Cruz Smith, author of *Gorky Park* & other bestsellers. Hosted by writer Anne Lamott, the program benefits SOJOURN, the multifair chaplaincy at SF General Hospital. 7:30pm refreshments, 8pm program \$20 Bldg A 575-2975

Bay Area Theatresports (BATS) This improvisational comedy troupe presents their 4th annual Holiday Musical, a full-length improvised musical show based on titles suggested by the audience. Directed by Barbara Scott w/music by J. Raoul Brody. 8pm \$10-\$8 FMC "Friends" \$1 off w/mbrs card Bayfront Theater Bldg B 824-8220

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Metaphysics Lecture see 12/2



Jump Cuts see 12/8
Photo: David Allen

6 TUESDAY

Unique Pathways To Addiction Recovery Ilana Goldner discusses a relapse prevention model for the '90s. 12/6&7 Tue&Wed registration 7-8am, seminar 8am-5pm \$90-\$75 Bldg A 668-5111

Adoption Awareness Series of workshops discussing what being adopted means in the lives of children & how to provide direction in complex situations. Sponsored by Pact, An Adoption Alliance. 7-10pm \$10 Bldg C 221-6957

Learn To Be Your Own Psychic How to communicate with your guardian angels & increase your sensitivity to intuition, prophecy, vision & feeling. FREE Introduction 7:30pm, Lecture 8:30pm \$3; In-depth Workshop 12/8 Thur 7:30-10:30pm \$12 Bldg C (510) 540-5200

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1

7 WEDNESDAY

First Wednesday At Fort Mason Museums, galleries & the bookstore at Fort Mason stay open late & admission is FREE Noon-8pm 441-3400 see Galleries

Museo ItaloAmericano "Stanley W. Galli: The Art Of An Illustrator" Bldg C
SF Craft & Folk Art Museum "Contemporary Cast Glass" & "Russian Lacquer Artists Pavel & Natasha Tikhomirov" Bldg A
SF Museum Of Modern Art Rental Gallery "Miniature Show: Diminutive Art by Thirteen Artists" Bldg A
Book Bay Bookstore Bldg C see 12/1

SF Museum Of Modern Art Rental Gallery Opening reception for "Miniature Show: Diminutive Art by Thirteen Artists." 5:30-7:30pm FREE adm SF Museum of Modern Art Rental Gallery Bldg A 441-4777

Adult Children Of Alcoholics A 12-step program focusing on parental alcoholism's effect on childhood as manifested in dysfunctional adult behaviors. 12/7-28 Wed 7:30-9:30pm FREE Gatehouse 442-7998

Bay Area Resource Forum Local artists, arts & service organizations describe their groups & discuss questions about local resources for artists & arts organizations. 7-8:30pm \$15 FMC "Friends" \$1 off w/mbrs card California Lawyers for the Arts Bldg C 775-7200

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Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
Method Acting Workshops see 12/5
Unique Pathways To Recovery see 12/6

8 THURSDAY

Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus Holiday Show Razz the clown & his pint-sized buddy Pino get lost in a movie studio where they juggle, spin, teeter, twirl & fly through every imaginable film genre from gumshoe detective tale to spaghetti western to costume drama. Created by choreographer Tandy Beal & Lu Yi, acrobatics master from the Nanjing Acrobatics Troupe. 12/8-1/1 Regular shows Wed-Fri 7:30pm, Sat 2&7:30pm (12/24&31 Sat matinees only); 12/11&18 Sun 4pm (no performance 12/25 Sun), 1/1/95 Sun 2pm. "Gherkin Matinees" (1 hour long, \$3 off all tickets) 12/11&18 Sun 1pm, 12/21-30 Wed-Fri 2pm. \$20-\$10, Family Pack \$55 for 5 tickets (must include at least 1 adult & 1 child, advance purchase only) FMC "Friends" \$1 off w/mbrs card Cowell Theater 392-4400

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Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
Thursday Night Tarot see 12/1

9 FRIDAY

Festa dei Dolci Italiani This lovely evening features an array of spectacular Italian desserts & Christmas sweets, coffee & dessert wines as well as a silent auction of artist decorated Christmas ornaments. Italian songs are performed by the Golden Gate Boys Chorus. A Museo Christmas tradition. 7-9pm \$20 Museo ItaloAmericano Bldg C 673-2200

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Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale see 12/2
Metaphysics Lecture see 12/2
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

10 SATURDAY

Fort Mason Tour Guided walk through this cultural & recreational facility. More than 50 arts, environmental & cultural groups make Fort Mason Center their home. Museums, theaters, galleries, classes & workshops utilize these converted military warehouses. 11am-12:30pm FREE (call to reserve space) Bldg A 441-3400

Fort Mason Artists Annual Holiday Show 20th annual holiday exhibit & sale by students at Fort Mason Art Campus of City College of San Francisco. Includes painting, sculpture, mosaic, printmaking, photography, collage, mixed media, jewelry, ceramics, fabric arts, quilting & more. Learn about art classes, view students' work & buy your favorites. 12/10&11 Sat&Sun 10am-6pm FREE admission Bldg B 561-1842

Copyright Clinic Drop-in consultations with a copyright attorney sponsored by California Lawyers for the Arts. 10:30am-12:30pm \$20 Bldg C 775-7200

Faux Finishing Learn how to turn surfaces into works of beauty by creating the illusion of marble & stone. 11am-5pm \$80 Bldg C 431-1888

Pasko Sa Tambayan Christmas celebration for Tambayan members & friends. Benefit for Filipino AIDS Task Force. 8-11:30pm \$8 Bldg A 703-9880

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Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
Sterling Silver Jewelry Sale see 12/2
WestCoast Live see 12/3
Celebration Of Craftswomen see 12/3
Black Crafts Bazaar see 12/3
Snow Queen see 12/3
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

11 SUNDAY

SF Camera Swap Meet Buy, sell or trade everything photographic: antique, classic & contemporary cameras, photos, lenses, images & more. 10am-4pm \$3 adm Bldg A 781-0390

Rubber Stamp Sale The 2nd Annual Fort Mason Rubber Stamp Show & Sale features a festive show of art stamps from Moe Wubba, Toybox, Inkers-A-Way & Gumbo Graphics. Learn how to create your own stamp art, holiday cards, wrapping paper, mail art & more. Refreshments. 10am-5pm FREE adm Bldg A 472-7361

SF Tesla Society Talks about new & unusual science, especially the discoveries of Nikola Tesla. 1-4:30pm FREE Bldg C (510) 644-2874

Wilhelm Reich Lecture Series Lecture on new research supporting Reich's controversial discoveries regarding "Saharasia" & "Desert-Greening Experiments In Africa." 1-4:30pm \$50 Bldg C (510) 526-5978

SF Vegetarian Society Lecture Vegetarianism as a healthful & humane way of life. 3:30-5:30pm \$3 Bldg C 775-6874

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Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
Celebration Of Craftswomen see 12/3
Black Crafts Bazaar see 12/3
Church By The Bay see 12/4
Alcoholics Anonymous see 12/4
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8
Fort Mason Artists Annual see 12/10

12 MONDAY

PC Tech User Group Information sharing & education about personal computers. 7-9pm \$3 Bldg C 558-8933



Russian Lacquer Demonstration see 12/3

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Metaphysics Lecture see 12/2
Method Acting Workshops see 12/5
Cosmology & Philosophy Lecture see 12/5

13 TUESDAY

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1

14 WEDNESDAY

Peace Corps Public Forum A slide program & discussion led by returned volunteers on their experiences living & working overseas. Questions answered about the program & application process. 7-9pm FREE Bldg A 744-2677

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Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
Adult Children Of Alcoholics see 12/7
Russian Lacquer Demonstration see 12/3
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

15 THURSDAY

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
Thursday Night Tarot see 12/1
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

16 FRIDAY

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1

Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
Metaphysics Lecture see 12/2
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

17 SATURDAY

Faux Finishing Find out how to turn your walls & furniture into works of art in this hands-on workshop. Learn to prepare surfaces, mix solutions & use tools. Presented by the Learning Annex. 11am-4:45pm \$99 Bldg C 788-5500

Psychic Healing Fair Bring spiritual awareness into your everyday life w/a reading or healing from Psychic Horizons. 1-3pm FREE Bldg C 346-7906

Studio Sale & Holiday Party The "Ghost of Christmas Past" party for collectors features ornaments, pottery & jewelry. 1-5pm FREE adm Gatehouse 868-0395

Animal People Party Annual Christmas party for animal people hosted by the Fund For Animals. Booths, refreshments, entertainment. 4-8pm FREE adm Bldg C 474-4020

Star Trek Fan Club The captain & crew of USS Atreides, NCC-60022, the only Starfleet chapter in SF, invite all ages to join them for socializing, community services & fun. 5-9pm \$40-\$15/year, families \$80-\$20/year Bldg C 864-2531

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Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
WestCoast Live see 12/3
Snow Queen see 12/3
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

18 SUNDAY

Super Comic/Toy Expo Spectacular door prizes, amateur drawing contest, trivia competition, rare Power Ranger toys, win autographed items, Magic: The Gathering tournament. Fun for the whole family. 10am-4pm \$4 adm Bldg A 333-8100

Posada Procession A day of festivities celebrating the traditional Mexican reenactment of Mary & Joseph's journey to Bethlehem. Music by Coro Hispano de San Francisco. Noon-6pm FREE Mexican Museum Bldg D 202-9706

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Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Night Train To Bolina see 12/1
Snow Queen see 12/3
Church By The Bay see 12/4
Alcoholics Anonymous see 12/4
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

19 MONDAY

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Metaphysics Lecture see 12/2
Snow Queen see 12/3
Cosmology & Philosophy Lecture see 12/5

20 TUESDAY

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Snow Queen see 12/3
Method Acting Workshops see 12/5

21 WEDNESDAY

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Snow Queen see 12/3
Adult Children Of Alcoholics see 12/7
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

22 THURSDAY

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Thursday Night Tarot see 12/1
Snow Queen see 12/3
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

23 FRIDAY

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
Snow Queen see 12/3
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

24 SATURDAY

Guardsmen Christmas Tree Sale see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Holiday Gift Shop see 12/1
Santos, Masks & Ornaments see 12/1
WestCoast Live see 12/3
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

25 SUNDAY

Church By The Bay see 12/4
Alcoholics Anonymous see 12/4

26 MONDAY

Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1

27 TUESDAY

Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Method Acting Workshops see 12/5

28 WEDNESDAY

Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Adult Children Of Alcoholics see 12/7
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

29 THURSDAY

Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

30 FRIDAY

Gentle Power Aerobics see 12/1
Book Bay Bookstore see 12/1
Jump Cuts: New Pickle Circus see 12/8

31 SATURDAY

Youth Leadership New Years Eve Dance A "dress to impress" New Years Eve dance party for all Bay Area high school students, ages 14 to 19. Drug & alcohol free event includes dancing to the latest & greatest hits by Youth Leadership Institute. 9pm to Midnight \$15 Herbst Pavilion 397-2256, 479-6884

Book Bay

CLASSES & WORKSHOPS

HEALTH & RECREATION



Liebovian Hypnosis For Smokers Help yourself kick the habit in one session with Richard Liebow. Includes weight & stress management techniques. 12/1 Thur 6:30-9:30pm \$39 Bldg C 928-2851

Gentle Power Aerobics Challenging low-impact aerobic & toning class for people over 40. 12/1-30 Mon-Fri 9:30-10:30am \$5-\$3.50/class Bldg C 389-8249

Irish Country Dance Larry Lynch teaches Irish dancing for adults. No partner necessary. 12/7&14 Wed 8-9:30pm \$45/9 lessons Bldg C 877-8250

Greek Folk Dance Enjoy Bay Area Greek festivals, learn the fundamentals of popular Greek dances w/Anna Efsthathiou. 12/5&12 Mon 8-10pm \$6-\$5/class Bldg C (510) 339-8357

Improve Your Eyesight Learn about a holistic, self-healing method to improve your eyesight & eliminate the need for glasses. 11/1-12/20 Tue 7:30-9:30pm \$245 Bldg C 441-8683

VISUAL ARTS & MEDIA



Advertising Portfolio Workshop Build a professional advertising portfolio. Sponsored by Artists In Print. 10/5-2/8/95 Wed 6:30-9:30pm \$375 Bldg C 243-8266

Faux Finishing Learn how to turn surfaces into works of beauty by creating the illusion of marble & stone. 12/10 Sat 11:30am-5pm \$80 Bldg C 431-1888

Faux Finishing Workshop Find out how to turn your walls & furniture into works of art in this hands-on class. Learn to prepare surfaces, mix solutions & use tools. Presented by the Learning Annex. 12/17 Sat 11am-4:45pm \$99 Bldg C 788-5500

Grantwriting Get funding for your projects. A class for artists, writers, performers & filmmakers by Hank Pellissier. 12/1 Thur 6:30-9:30pm \$28 Bldg C 252-7643

Western Public Radio Advanced & beginning classes & workshops in all aspects of radio, including broadcasting, production & technical. Low-cost studio time available. Bldg D 771-1161

California Lawyers For The Arts provides legal referrals & services for arts individuals & organizations of all disciplines. Bldg C 775-7200
Copyright Clinic Drop-in consultations with an attorney. 12/10 Sat \$20 see 12/10
Bay Area Resource Forum Local artists, arts groups & service organizations describe their groups & discuss questions about local resources for artists & arts organizations. 12/7 Wed 7-8:30pm \$15 FMC "Friends" \$1 off w/ mbrs card

National Poetry Association offers courses in filmmaking, video production & animation as well as poetry film workshops, video & film showings & readings. Bldg D 776-6602

Textile Design A continuing series of classes taught by Teliha Draheim. Bldg C (800) 366-3456
Break Into The World Of Textile Design Learn about the industry & how to develop your ideas into marketable illustrations, suitable for fabric, tile, wallpaper, etc.. 12/7-2/15/95 Wed 7:15-9:45pm \$400
Designing The Nineties Continuing study & portfolio development in textile design. Includes critiques & individual instruction. 12/5-2/13/95 Mon 7:15-9:45pm \$400

CCSF Fort Mason Art Campus Academic & recreational classes in ceramics, drawing, basketry, jewelry, painting, printmaking, photography, sculpture, textiles, stained glass, & the business of art. Also offered are real estate, food, wine, & dance. Registration is now open for Spring semester classes beginning in January 1995. Office hours Mon&Fri 8:30am-5:30pm, Tue-Thur 8:30am-10:30pm, Sat 8:30am-4:30pm (closed 12:30-1:30pm Mon-Sat, all day 12/24,26&31). Bldg B 561-1840
Artists Holiday Show 20th annual exhibit & sale by Art Campus students. 12/10&11 Sat & Sun 10am-6pm FREE adm. see 12/10

CHILDREN'S CLASSES



Young Performers Theatre presents ongoing dramatic arts classes & productions for children ages 3 & above. Bldg C 346-5550

Snow Queen Gerda tries to rescue friend Kay from a spell cast upon him by the villainous Queen of Snow. 12/3-18 Sat&Sun 1&3:30pm; 12/19-21 Mon-Wed 1pm \$7 adults, \$5 children under 13. FMC "Friends" \$2 off w/mbrs card. See 12/3

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Jing Mo Athletic Association Traditional gung-fu for adults & children. 12/2-30 Fri 6:30-9pm \$35-\$25/mo Bldg C 753-1269

Make-A-Circus offers participatory arts/social services, workshops, theater performances & community shows. Teens are encouraged to apply for the apprentice program; other services include "clown therapy." Bldg C 776-8477

SF Children's Art Center Classes for children ages 2-12 in drawing, printmaking & sculpture. Drop-in classes & art birthday parties available. Bldg C 771-0292

ENVIRONMENT



J. Porter Shaw Maritime Library Premier collection of maritime history, including books, magazines, oral histories, ships' plans & SF Maritime National Historical Park's 250,000 photographs. Orientations by reservation. Tue 5-8pm, Wed-Fri 1-5pm, Sat 10am-5pm (closed 12/24&31) FREE Bldg E 556-9870

Friends Of The River sponsors rafting & kayaking trips on California & Colorado rivers, in the Grand Canyon & beyond. Proceeds benefit river conservation efforts. Bldg C 771-0400

Sailing Education Adventures Volunteer program for enjoying & caring for the Bay & ocean environment. Programs for beginners taught by US Sailing Association certified volunteers. Bldg E 775-8779

Oceanic Society Expeditions See the endangered humpback & blue whales in the Gulf Of the Farallones, as well as leatherback sea turtles & blue sharks. The Society also sponsors other ocean wildlife educational trips & whale-watching tours in season. Bldg E 474-3385

Environmental Traveling Companions Experience the magic of kayaking or rafting while contributing to wilderness access for people w/disabilities & disadvantaged youth. Scholarships available for people with special needs. Bldg C 474-7662

PERFORMING ARTS



Sue Walden & Co. Presents Improvisational training in a noncompetitive, playful atmosphere using exercises, games & structures. Bldg C & Gatehouse 885-5678
Basics Of Improvisation 10/19-12/14 Wed 7-9:30pm \$185
Intermediate A 10/10-12/19 Mon 7-9:30pm \$195
Intermediate B 10/11-12/13 Tue 7-9:30pm \$195
Advanced Scenes 10/25-12/13 Tue 7-9:30pm \$195

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A Is For Acting—The First Step Meet the characters inside yourself. Classes for actors, teachers, salespeople, playwrights & others taught by B. Lynn Goodwin. 11/3-12/15 Thur 6:30-9:30pm \$180 Bldg C (510) 838-9057

Blue Bear School Of American Music offers private lessons, group classes & band workshops in Rock, Jazz, Blues, Soul & other popular music styles for musicians of all ages & levels. Day & evening programs. Bldg D 673-3600

EDUCATION



Independent Retirement Planning A series of retirement education & planning seminars for middle income people presented by Carl A. Adams, author of *You Deserve A Happy Retirement*. 12/3-17 Sat 10-11:30am FREE Bldg C 986-6655

GMAT Preparation Course Prepare for success on the Graduate Management Admission Test at this small, 7-session class taught by Testing For The Public. 12/11 Sun 9am-1pm, 12/15&22 Thur 6-10pm, 12/18 Sun 9am-5pm, 1/3&5/95 Tue & Thur 6-10pm, 1/8/95 Sun 9am-5pm \$400/course Bldg C (510) 526-3435

Learn To Be Your Own Psychic Learn techniques to strengthen communication with your guardian angels & increase your sensitivity to intuition, prophecy, vision & feeling. 12/6 Tue FREE Introduction 7:30pm, Lecture 8:30pm \$3; In-depth Workshop 12/8 Thur 7:30-10:30pm \$12 Bldg C (510) 540-5200

Expressive Arts Therapy Training Level 1 training program sponsored by the Person-Centered Expressive Arts Therapy Institute. 12/3&4 Sat 9am-10pm, Sun 9am-6pm \$550/course Bldg C 673-5726

Traffic School Keep your insurance rates down & fulfill court requirements. Sponsored by California Institute of Traffic Safety. 12/10 Sat 8:30am-5pm \$25 Bldg C 759-5639

A-1 Saturday Class Traffic School DMV & court-approved school features affordable, sophisticated easy learning that's also fun. 12/3&17 Sat 8am-4:30pm \$28/day Bldg C 249-0849

Mature Driver Safety Seminar DMV-approved class by California State Auto. Assoc. 12/13 Tue 9am-4:30pm \$21-\$19/session Bldg A 565-2306

Thursday Night Tarot Discussions on Tarot & the Cabala. 12/1-22 Thur 8-10pm FREE Bldg C 488-1430 see 12/1

Dog & Puppy Obedience & Behavior Classes Sharon Newman of Canine Counseling provides training based on respect & trust that develops your dog's willingness to please. 12/1-29 Sun 12:30-1:30pm, Tue&Thur 6:30-7:30pm (no class 12/25&27) \$175/10wk course Bldg C 648-2736

Puppy Training Enjoyable puppy-friendly classes that produce people-friendly & mannerly adult dogs. 12/5-19 Mon 6-8pm \$100/6-wk course Bldg C (510) 658-8588

Self-Defense Seminars Beginners learn basic survival skills & advanced students achieve higher levels. 12/1-29 Tue 6-7:30pm, Thur Noon-1:30pm, Sun 8-11am (no class 12/25) \$10/class Bldg C 752-1154

Tear & Pepper Gas Course A self-defense course that certifies you to legally carry tear or pepper gas in California. 12/5&19 Mon 6-8pm \$40/class includes license fee & one can of gas. Bldg C 334-1151

Assault Prevention Learn awareness, assertiveness & physical self-defense skills. Face your fears about conflict & confrontation. 12/9 Fri 6:30-8:30pm, 12/10&11 Sat&Sun 9:30am-3:30pm \$120 Bldg C 753-2796

Verbal Self-Defense Practical introduction to a nonescalating verbal self-defense technique that guides defenders back to their inner lives. 12/1-22 Thur 7-10pm \$65-\$50/class Gatehouse (510) 236-6396

Self-Defense Defend against attack by hands or weapons. Learn real fighting skills w/out martial arts ritual. 12/7&14 Wed 6-8:30pm \$20/mo FMC "Friends" 20% off w/mbrs card Bldg C 441-8986

MARTIAL ARTS



Tai Chi Chuan & Chi-Kung Sifu Fong Ha teaches classical forms w/emphasis on meditative aspects. 12/1-22 Tue&Thur 7:30-9:30pm \$50/mo Bldg C (510) 524-4718

Chinese Martial Arts w/Jack Man Wong. Tai Chi & Northern Shaolin for health, high spirits, clear thinking & self-defense. 12/4-28 Wed 5:30-7:30pm, Sun 10am-Noon (no class 12/25) \$40/mo Bldg C (510) 261-7105

Jing Mo Athletic Association Traditional gung-fu hand forms & weapons for exercise/self-defense. Adults & children. 12/2-30 Fri 6:30-9pm \$35-\$25/mo (no class 12/23) Bldg C 753-1269

Original Tai Chi Chuan Gene Chen teaches the complete system including first & second forms, pushing hands, weapons & philosophy. 12/1-29 Tue&Thur 7:45-9:45pm \$45/mo Bldg C 661-3786

Yi Chuan (Buddhist Chi Gung) Master Cheuk Fung teaches traditional methods for health, healing & martial arts ability. 12/1-29 Tue&Thur 7:30-9:30pm \$70/mo Bldg C FMC "Friends" \$1 off w/mbrs card (510) 658-4621

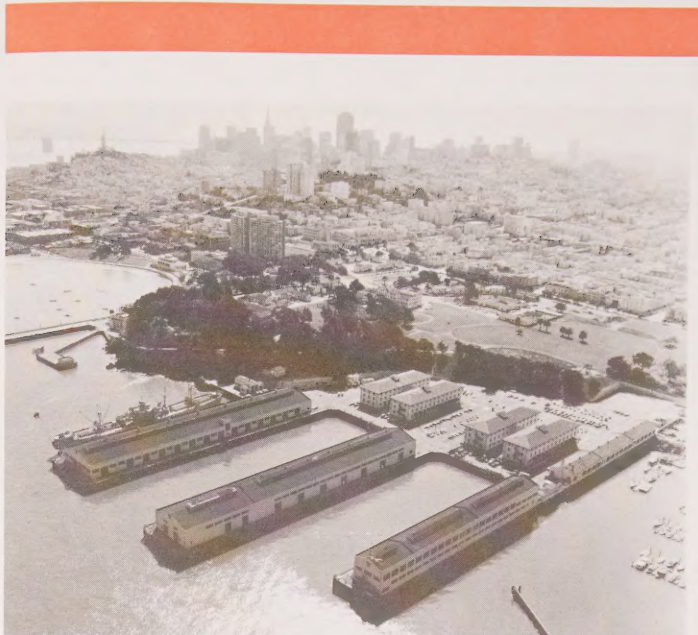
Tai Chi Practice w/Cloud Hands West. 12/3-17 Sat 8:30-10am \$10/mo Bldg C 282-2676

Shaolin/Wudang Mountain Kung Fu Conditioning, martial arts, internal exercises & meditation for serious students. 12/1-30 Tue&Thur 6-7:30pm, Fri 7-8:30pm \$50/mo Bldg C 564-9282

The Art Of Tai Chi Praying Mantis Training in weapons, internal exercises, hand-forms, capturing techniques & martial arts principles. 12/5-26 Mon 8-10pm \$50/mo Bldg C 267-5514

Taoist Internal Arts Wu tai chi, hsing-i, pa qua, push hands, chi gung for health & self-defense in a noncompetitive environment. 12/4-18 Sun 6-8pm \$50/mo Bldg C (510) 465-9884

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